STATE OF NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS NEX-5802 & NEX-5803

Harlan County

Water Division 1-B

On September 2, 2016, Kenneth & Joyce Bantam filed in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) applications NEX-5802 & NEX-5803 for a temporary change of location of use and type of use for the appropriations described below.

Summary of Applications:

| Transfer | Water | | Grant | | | | |
|-------------|---------------|------------|-------|---------------|--------|---------------------------|----|
| Application | Appropriation | Priority | In | | Curren | t Location | of |
| Number | Number | Date | CFS* | Appropriation | | | |
| NEX-5803 | A-5173 | 02/18/1953 | | | | located in Harlan Cour | |

NEX-5802 A-10803 03/16/1966 1.24 86.6 acres located in S21 T02N R20W, Harlan County

*CFS = cubic feet per second

The applications were filed as a requirement for participation in the Nebraska Platte-Republican Resources Area Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP). The proposed location of use is downstream of the current point of diversion to the point where the Republican River crosses the Nebraska/Kansas state line. The proposed change is to be temporary for the term of the CREP contract, which will be 15 years.

Under the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. \$ 46-294(1)(e) the quantity of water that is transferred to the new use may not exceed the historic consumptive use under the appropriation or portion thereof being transferred. The "Grant in CFS" described above is the total appropriation that is attached to the acres described above.

Procedures to respond to this notice may be obtained by contacting the Surface Mater Permits section of the Department at (402) 471-2363 or through the Department's website at http://dnr.nebraska.gov/opportunities-for-participation-in-the-permitting-process. Additional project information may be obtained by contacting the Department at the bhone number indicated above.

Objections must be received by the Department by $5:00~\mathrm{p.m.}$ on January 13, 2017.

Dates of Notice December 15, December 22 and December 29, 2016.